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Beulah Penry, President St. Louis National Stock Yards Co. AND P.O. Box 97 National Stock Yards, IL 62071

Isaiah Watson 427 North 24th Street East St. Louis, IL 62205

Dear Ms. Penry and Mr. Watson:

By copy of this letter the Agency hereby informs you of apparent violations of the Illinois Environmental Protection Act and/or rules and regulations adopted thereunder. These apparent violations are set forth in Attachments A and B of this letter.

As a result of these apparent violations, it is our intent to refer this matter to the Agency's legal staff for the preparation of a formal enforcement case. The Agency's legal staff will, in turn, refer this matter to the Office of Attorney General or to the United States Environmental Protection Agency for the filing of a formal complaint.

Prior to taking such action, however, you are requested to attend a Pre-Enforcement Conference to be held at the Illinois Environmental Protection Agency, 2009 Hall Street, Collinsville, Illinois, 62234. The purpose of this Conference will be:

- 1. To discuss the validity of the apparent violations noted by Agency staff,
- 2. To arrive at a program to eliminate existing and/or future violations.

You should, therefore, bring such personnel and records to the Conference as will enable a complete discussion of the above items. We have scheduled the Conference for May 24, 1989 at 10:00 a.m. If this arrangement is inconvenient, please contact John Justice or Ken Mensing at 618/346-5120 to arrange for an alternative date and time.

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In addition, please be advised that this letter constitutes the notice required by Section 31(d) of the Illinois Environmental Protection Act prior to the filing of a formal complaint. The cited Section of the Illinois Environmental Protection Act requires the Agency to inform you of the charges which are to be alleged and offer you the opportunity to meet with appropriate officials within thirty days of this notice date in an effort to resolve such conflict which could lead to the filing of formal action.

Please confirm you attendance at this Conference in writing, within seven (7) days of the date of this letter.

Sincerely,

ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY

Shut I. Schleuger

Robert L. Schleuger, P.E.

Regional Coordinator

Field Operations Section

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Attachments

cc: DAPC - Central File

cc: DAPC - Collinsville
cc: DLPC - Division File
cc: DLPC - Collinsville

cc: Jim O'Donnell - Enforcement
cc: Denise Hamilton-Fuchs - Enforcement

cc: Bruce Carlson - Enforcement

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ATTACHMENT A

 Open burning of miscellaneous waste in apparent violation of 35 Ill. Adm. Code 237.102(a) and Section 9(c) of the Act.

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ATTACHMENT B

- 1. Causing or allowing the open dumping of any waste in violation of Section 21(a) of the Act.
- Conducting any waste-storage, waste-treatment or waste-disposal operation without a permit granted by the Agency in violation of Section 21(d) of the Act.
- 3. Causing or allowing the open dumping of any waste in a manner which results in litter at the dump site, in violation of Section 21((q)) of the Act.
- 4. Causing or allowing the open dumping of any waste in a manner which results in open burning at the dump site, in violation of Section 21(q) of the Act.
- 5. Causing or allowing the operation of any open dump so as to cause or threaten or allow the emissions of contaminants so as to cause or tend to cause air pollution in Illinois in violation of Sections 9(a) and 9(c) of the Act.